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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of : Paul M. Brennan
Serial No. : 09/739,706
Filed : December 20, 2000
For : METHOD, DEVICE AND SOFTWARE FOR ASSESSING
URGENCY OF INCOMING COMMUNICATIONS
Group No. : 2697
Examiner : Alam Elahee

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

No fees are believed to be necessary; however, in the event that any fees are required for the prosecution of this application, please charge any necessary fees to Deposit Account No. 50-0208. No extension of time is believed to be necessary. If, however, an extension of time is needed, the extension is requested and please charge the fee for this extension to Deposit Account No. 50-0208.

In response to the Office Action having a mailing date of August 22, 2003, please amend the above-identified application as follows: